

September 8, 2005

**VIA ECFS**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *MB Docket No. 03-15*  
*Quad Cities Television Acquisition Corp. (FRN 0001-7363-21)*  
*Station KLJB-DT, Davenport, Iowa (Facility ID No. 54011)*  
*Request for Waiver of July 1, 2005 Maximization Deadline*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is submitted on behalf of Quad Cities Television Acquisition Corp. ("Quad Cities"), licensee of KLJB-TV, Channel 18, and permittee of KLJB-DT, Channel 49, Davenport, Iowa. By letter dated June 30, 2005, Quad Cities requested on behalf of KLJB-DT a temporary waiver from compliance with the July 1, 2005 "use-it-or-lose-it" maximization deadline ("Maximization Deadline") established in the Commission's September 7, 2004 *Report and Order* in MB Docket No. 03-15.<sup>1</sup> Quad Cities requested a waiver of the use-it-or-lose-it deadline for the limited period of 30 days in order to provide time to correct an equipment malfunction that arose on the evening of June 28, 2005, when Quad Cities was installing a new transmitter that would have allowed KLJB-DT to comply with the Maximization Deadline without a waiver.

This letter is submitted to confirm that the DTV equipment malfunction was corrected and that KLJB-DT began operating under automatic program test authority with the facilities specified in DTV Construction Permit File No. BMPCDT-20020919AAQ on July 6, 2005. Quad Cities submitted its covering license application on July 13, 2005, under FCC File No. BLCDT-20050713ADL.

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<sup>1</sup> *Second Periodic Review of the Commission's Rules and Policies Affecting the Conversion to Digital Television*, FCC 04-192, 19 FCC Rcd 18279 (2004) ("Report and Order").

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Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/  
Timothy J. Cooney

cc: Shaun Maher